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SUBJECT: GROUP OF 12 HAITIAN ASYLUM SEEKERS

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1. PREVIOUS CABLE TRAFFIC AND CORRESPONDENCE BEING AIR-POUCHED TO EMBASSY PER REFTEL B.
2. WE CONCUR IN EMBASSY'S VIEW THAT ASSURANCES FROM GOH REGARDING THIS GROUP OF TWELVE, SIMILAR TO THOSE OBTAINED IN CONNECTION WITH RETURN OF GROUP OF 97, IS DESIRABLE. IN REPLYING TO INS, WE SHOULD BE IN AS STRONG A POSITION AS POSSIBLE. THIS WOULD NECESSITATE APPROACHING GOH AND OBTAINING SUCH ASSURANCES PRIOR TO INFORMING INS OF OUR CURRENT VIEWS OF THEIR CLAIMS TO ASYLUM SINCE WE CANNOT LATER DISCOVER, ONCE DEPORTATION IS IMMINENT, THAT GOH IS UNWILLING TO GIVE SUCH SPECIFIC ASSURANCES.

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3. THEREFORE, UPON RECEIPT OF BACKGROUND INFORMATION PER PARA 1 ABOVE, EMBASSY IS REQUESTED TO APPROACH GOH FOR ASSURANCES REGARDING RETURN OF THESE TWELVE. VANCE

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